New Mexico
Public Education
Department

Approved Educator Preparation Programs (EPPs)

July 1, 2026

Educator Preparation Program	Licensure Types and Areas	Endorsements
Central New Mexico Community College (CNM) 716 University Blvd. SE Albuquerque, NM 87106	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs • Early Childhood: PreK-Grade 3 (PBC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC)	• Bilingual Education • Gifted Education • TESOL
Cooperative Educational Services (CES) 10601 Research Rd. SE Albuquerque, NM 87123 -Administrators Leadership Development Program (ALD) -Leading Educators Through Alternative Pathways (LEAP)	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (PMC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 and Elementary Education: K-8 Dual Licensure (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 and Special Education: PreK-12 Dual Licensure (PBC)	
Clovis Community College (CCC) Deactivated 417 Schepps Blvd. Clovis, NM 88101 *This program was approved in 2022. As of June 1, 2026, the program is no longer matriculating students in the EPP pathway alternative licensure program. The EPP is in the process of deactivating.*	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC)	
Eastern New Mexico University (ENMU) 1500 S Ave K Portales, NM 88130	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (GA) • Early Childhood Education: Birth-PreK (UG) • Early Childhood: PreK-Grade 3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (GA)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Agriculture • Business • Family and Consumer Sciences • Health • History (Social Studies)

	• Elementary Education: K-8 and Special Education: PreK-12 Dual Licensure (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 (GA) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG) • Specialty Area: PreK-12 (UG) • Secondary Vocational: 7-12 (UG) Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC)	• Language Arts • Mathematics • Modern, Classical and Native Languages • Science • Technology Education Traditional Specialty Area Endorsements: • Performing Arts • Physical Education • Visual Arts Other Endorsements: • Bilingual Education • TESOL
Navajo Technical University Lower Point Road, State Hwy 371 Crown Point, NM 87313 *This program was approved in 2025. It will begin matriculating students in Fall 2026.*	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: Secondary Education: 7-12 (UG)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Mathematics
New Mexico Highlands University 1005 Diamond Street Las Vegas, NM 87701	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (GA) • Early Childhood Education: Birth-PreK (UG) • Early Childhood: PreK-Grade 3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (GA) • Elementary Education: K-8 and Special Education: PreK-12 Dual Licensure (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 (UG, GA) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG) Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Early Childhood Education: PreK-Grade 3 (PBC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education:6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Computer Science • Health • History (Social Studies) • Language Arts • Mathematics • Modern, Classical, and Native Language • Physical Education • Psychology Other Endorsements: • Bilingual Education • Gifted Education • Reading • TESOL
New Mexico Junior College 1 Thunderbird Circle Hobbs, NM 88240	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC)	

New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology 801 Leroy Place Socorro, NM 87801	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG) Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Computer Science • Mathematics • Science • Psychology
New Mexico State University 1050 Stewart Street, SuiteE1200 Las Cruces, NM 88003	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (GA) • Blind and Visually Impaired (PBC) • Early Childhood Education: Birth-PreK (UG) • Early Childhood Education: PreK-Grade 3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 and Elementary Education: K-8 Dual Licensure (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 and Secondary: 6-12 Dual Licensure (UG) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG) • Specialty Area: PreK-12 (UG) Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Early Childhood Education: PreK-3 (PBC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Agriculture • Modern, Classical and Native Languages • Family and Consumer Sciences • History (Social Studies) • Language Arts • Mathematics • Science Traditional Specialty Area Endorsements: • Performing Arts • Physical Education Other Endorsements: • Bilingual Education • Reading • TESOL
Northern New Mexico College 921 N. Paseo de Onate Espanola, NM 87532	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Early Childhood Education: PreK-3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (UG) Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC)	Other Endorsements: • Bilingual Education • Reading • TESOL
Santa Fe Community College 6401 Richards Avenue Santa Fe, NM 87508	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Early Childhood Education: PreK-Grade 3 (PBC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC)	Other Endorsements: TESOL
San Juan College 4601 College Boulevard	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC)	Other Endorsements: • Gifted Education

Farmington, NM 87402	• Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (PBC)	• TESOL
University of New Mexico 1 University of New Mexico Albuquerque, NM 87131	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (GA) • Early Childhood Education: PreK-3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (UG, GC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG, GC) • Specialty Area: PreK-12 (UG, GA) • Special Education (GA) • Elementary Education: K-8 and Special Education: PreK-12 Dual Licensure (UG)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • History (Social Studies) • Language Arts • Mathematics • Modern, Classical and Native Languages • Science Traditional Specialty Area Endorsements: • Performing Arts (UG) • Physical Education (UG) • Visual Arts (UG, GA) Other Endorsements: • Bilingual Education • TESOL
University of New Mexico-Gallup 705 Gurley Avenue Gallup, NM 87301	Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC)	
University of the Southwest 6304 N Lovington Hwy Hobbs, NM 88240	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (GA) • Early Childhood Education: PreK-3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (UG) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 (UG) Alternative Licensure EPP Pathway Programs: • Early Childhood Education: PreK-3 (PBC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (PBC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (PBC) • Special Education (PBC)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Language Arts • Mathematics • History (Social Studies) • Science
Western New Mexico University 905 N B Street Silver City NM 88062	Traditional Pathway Licensure Programs: • Educational Administration: PreK-12 (GA) • Early Childhood Education: Birth-PreK (UG) • Early Childhood Education: PreK-Grade 3 (UG) • Elementary Education: K-8 (UG) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (UG) • Special Education: PreK-12 (UG) • Specialty Area: PreK-12 (UG)	Traditional Secondary Endorsements: • Business • Health • History (Social Studies) • Language Arts • Mathematics • Modern, Classical, and Native Languages • Physical Education

	• Secondary Vocational: 6-12 (UG) <u>Alternative Licensure ERPP Pathway Programs:</u> • Early Childhood Education: PreK-Grade 3 (GC) • Elementary Education: K-8 (GC) • Secondary Education: 6-12 (GC) • Special Education: PreK-12 (GC)	• Psychology • Science • Technology Education <u>Traditional Specialty Area Endorsements:</u> • Physical Education <u>Other Endorsements:</u> • Bilingual Education • Gifted Education • Reading • TESOL

UG = undergraduate degree program
GA = graduate degree program
GC = graduate certificate
PBC = post-baccalaureate certificate program
PMC = post-master's certificate program
TESOL = Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages